

**Montana Transportation Commission**  
**Minutes**  
**June 9, 2008**

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The Montana Transportation Commission met via conference call on June 9, 2008 the meeting was called to order by Commissioner Espy at 10:05 am with the following participants:

Nancy Espy, Commissioner (District 4)  
 Barb Skelton, Commissioner (District 5)  
 Kevin Howlett, Commissioner (District 1)  
 D. Winterburn, Commissioner (District 3)  
 Lori Ryan, MDT  
 Jim Lynch, Director  
 Jim Currie, Deputy Director  
 Kevin Christensen, MDT  
 Suzy Price, MDT  
 Loran Frazier, MDT  
 Steve Garrison, MDT

1) Awards: Kevin Christensen presented information regarding the staff recommendations for the following projects:

Call #	Project Number	Project Description	County Countie	District	Bid Amount	Contractor	City State zip
1	BR 8-1(25)6	Little Blackfoot - E of Garrison	Powell	Butte	7,396,111.91	Frontier-West LLC	Missoula, MT 59808
2	IM 90-9(102)510 & SFC5 463-1(5)6	Lodge Grass - North & West of Lodge Grass - SW	Big Horn	Billings	11,213,292.09	Riverside Contracting Inc	Missoula, MT 59808
3	CM 5299(49)	2001 Sidewalk Program-GTF	Cascade	Great Falls	1,373,559.05	United Materials of Great Falls Inc	Great Falls, MT 59403
4	NH 37-1(38)9	14 km East of Battlefield East	Big Horn	Billings	2,897,830.30	Century Companies Inc	Lewistown, MT 59457
5	IM 90-9(104)532	Lodge Grass - South	Big Horn	Billings	1,077,752.00	Riverside Contracting Inc	Missoula, MT 59808
6	STPP-NH 7199(15)	Main St & 1st Ave - Lewistown	Fergus	Billings	725,182.43	Central Electric Inc	Lewistown, MT 59457
7	SFCX 22206(1)	Centennial Avenue - Boulder	Jefferson	Butte	253,825.51	Jim Gilman Excavating Inc	Butte, MT 59701
8	IM 90-3(97)189	Fencing-Powell County Line-N	Powell	Butte	199,956.25	Johnson Custom Fencing Inc	Whitehall, MT 59759
9	UPP 7104(4)	Elm St - Main to Blvd	Fergus	Billings	237,947.00	Century Companies Inc	Lewistown, MT 59457

10	HSIP 317-1(9)3	2003 - Signing - East of Kalispell	Flathead	Missoula	43,256.82	Montana Lines Inc	Great Falls, MT 59405
11	HSIP 90-8(164)398	SF069 Guardrail - West Springtime Interchange	Stillwater	Billings	22,721.50	Omo Construction Inc	Billings, MT 59107
12	MT 18(35)	Saint Mary River - North of Babb	Glacier	Great Falls	1,802,900.52	Sletten Construction Company	Great Falls, MT 59403

Twelve (12) projects were advertised, in all, thirty one (31) bids were tendered. Staff recommends awarding projects to the respective low bidders.

Commissioner Howlett moved to adopt the staff recommendations to award projects to the respective low bidders. Commissioner Skelton seconded the motion. All four Commissioners voted aye.

2) Commission Discussion:

Regular Meeting – June 26, 2008

Conference Call – July 7, 2008

Meeting adjourned by Commissioner Howlett at 10:20 am, seconded by Commissioner Skelton. Meeting adjourned

Nancy Espy, Chair  
Montana Transportation Commission

Jim Lynch, Director  
Montana Department of Transportation

Lori Ryan, Secretary  
Montana Transportation Commission